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FM AMEMOASSY BRASILIA
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 7160
INFO AMCONSUL RIO DE JANEIRO
AMCONSUL SAO PAULO

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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: PEPR, PN, BR
SUBJECT: REACTION TO SENATE DEBATE ON PANAMA CANAL TREATIES

REFS: (A) STATE 95209, (B) BRASILIA 3102

1. MAJOR PAPERS REPORTED APRIL 18 ON IMPENDING
SENATE CANAL TREATY VOTE ON INSIDE PAGES WITH NO
EDITORIAL
ATTENTION TO ISSUE. ALL PAPERS REPORTED
SENATOR BYRD'S REVELATION THAT PANAMANIAN GOVERNMENT
HAD ACCEPTED COMPROMISE AMENDMENT AIMED AT NEUTRALIZING
EFFECT OF THE DECONCINI RESERVATION. PRESS ALSO
REPORTED DEMONSTRATION BY PANAMANIAN STUDENTS AGAINST
AMEMBASSY PANAMA.

2. ONLY JORNAL DO BRASIL IN ARTICLE BY WASHINGTON CORRES-
PONDENT N.D. SPINOLA ANALYZED SIGNIFICANCE OF
TODAY'S VOTE WITH COMPREHENSIVE EXPLANATIONS OF HISTORY
OF PROBLEM, ISSUES BEFORE THE SENATE AND PROCEDURES
INVOLVED.

3. O ESTADO DE SAO PAULO PUBLISHED HIGHLY
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COMPLIMENTARY EDITORIAL ABOUT ASSISTANT SECRETARY
TODMAN, COMMENTING ON ITS EXCLUSIVE INTERVIEW
WITH HIM PUBLISHED APRIL 17 (REF B) AND CREDITING
HIM AND SECRETARY VANCE FOR IMPROVING USG-GOB
RELATIONS OVER THE LAST YEAR AND CONTRASTED THEIR
ATTITUDES WITH THOSE OF "POLITICAL APPOINTEES". EDITORIAL
HOWEVER, MADE NO REFERENCE TO TREATY VOTE OR

CANAL ISSUE.

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